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Dissolution of Co-Partnership

The co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned at Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, under the firm name and style of Dresel & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Theodore Blanckenburg retiring. The business of the late firm will be carried on under the same firm name and style by Carl Dresel, who assumes all the obligations thereof, and who is alone authorized to collect the outstanding accounts due the same.

THEO. BLANCKENBURG.
CARL DRESEL.
Dated February 3rd, 1898.

Certificate of Co-Partnership.

I, Carl Dresel, do hereby certify that I alone constitute and compose the firm doing business under the firm name and style of Dresel & Co.; that its principal place of business is at Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, and the full name and place of residence of its only member is subscribed hereto.

Dated this 3rd day of February, 1898.
CARL DRESEL,
Residing at Sonoma, California.

Acknowledged February 3d, 1898, before
SAMUEL ROSENHEIM,
Notary Public in and for the City and County of San Francisco, State of California.

[Endorsed.]

Filed in the office of the County Clerk of Sonoma County, California., Feb. 5, 1898.
SOMERS B. FULTON,
County Clerk.
By F. G. NAGLE, Deputy Clerk. 4t

CITY PRINTING.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma, State of California, will receive bids for doing the city printing and advertising up to the hour of 8 o'clock P. M., on April 6th, 1898, for the following work:

Legal notices and advertisements, per square of 234 ems, Nonpariel or Minion.
Instructions to voters, per 25.
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Sample Election Ballots, per 150.
Nominations of Candidates, per 150.
Poll Tax Receipts, bound, perforated and stubbed, per 100.
City Warrants, bound, perforated and stubbed, per 100.
Tax Collector's Receipts, bound, perforated and stubbed, per 100.
Blanks for Bills, printed on both sides, per 100.
License Blanks, bound, perforated and stubbed, per 100.
Assessment Blanks, bound, perforated and stubbed, printed on both sides, per 100.
Letter heads, per 100.
Envelopes, per 100.

Bids are to be made on each item in the above schedule separately, and the lowest bidder on each item to be given the contract for that particular item.

All job work to be done in the best manner and on good paper. Newspapers to be wholly printed and published in Sonoma City, at least once a week, and all job work to be printed in Sonoma City. All work to be done to the satisfaction of the Board of Trustees.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

ROBERT A. POPPE,
City Clerk.
Sonoma, March 3d, 1898.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NOW is the time to get Bargains
Goods sold cheap this month

Infant's shirts to one year old	5
Child's Wool Stockings, 5, 6, 8,	10
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Infants' Shoes, all colors, 1 to 4	25
Men's Sunday Shoes, until gone	1.25
Ladies' Sunday Shoes, until gone	1.25

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Men's Wool Hats, Black Fedora	50
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Ely's Cream Balm is the acknowledged cure for catarrh and contains no mercury nor any injurious drug. Price, 50 cents.

QUICK WITTED PATSY

HOW HE SAVED THE DAY FOR HIMSELF AND HIS LAWYER.

Thoughtlessly Signed an Affidavit With a Name He Swore Was Not His Own—But He Won the Judge and His Point by His Explanation.

My first case came at Florence, Ala., a few months after I was licensed, writes Attorney B. M. Jackson. The sheriff there, Captain W. T. White, now dead, a gallant Confederate soldier and one of nature's noblemen, met me on the street and told me there was a man confined in the county jail who wished to see me.

I was then 21 years old, but would readily have passed for 17. The client's name was Patrick Donevan, but he was commonly called Patsy Donevan. Going to the jail, I found a man from 30 to 35 years old, an intelligent, nice looking, devil may care Irishman. When I entered, he greeted me with "Good evening, miss." Pretending not to have heard him address me as "miss" and assuming much dignity, I told him I was the lawyer whom the sheriff had promised to send him. For answer he exclaimed, "Well, I'll be d——d," and burst out laughing—laughing uproariously. I was irritated to a degree by this reception. "I beg pardon, judge, it's a go. You do look pretty young, but Tom (the sheriff) says you are a daisy. Get me out of here, and my folks, who've got plenty, will pay you well for your trouble."

He told me his story. He was a skilled mechanic from Keokuk, Ia., and had been employed by the government in constructing a lock on the Mussel Shoals canal, near Florence. He had shot the physician in charge of those works. This physician was a brother of the United States engineer in control of the canal construction, and it was evident that the prosecution would be bitter, sparing no pains or expense to secure a conviction, entailing a long penitentiary sentence. The doctor and my client were both men of reckless courage and overbearing temper, both sometimes looked on the wine when it was red, and both, I inferred, were striving for the favor of the same woman. A clash between them soon came. They had a savage quarrel at their boarding house at dinner. The doctor being armed and my client unarmed, the latter had to submit to unlimited abuse and would have been shot but for the interference of several men who were present. Soon after nightfall of the same day my client went to the doctor's office and sleeping room, about a mile distant and in a secluded place, and, knocking on the door, was bidden by the doctor to come in. Entering, he found the doctor putting on a shirt, and thus for the moment disabled, and, remarking, "You had the drop on me this morning, but I've got it on you now," fired, striking the doctor in the neck and inflicting a dangerous but not fatal wound.

The case soon came on for trial. While the defendant's version of the occurrence as he had given it to me was very different from the one in the foregoing, yet it was so improbable in itself and so inconsistent with the attendant circumstances that it looked as if a sentence of ten years was inevitable if the case was then tried. To gain a postponement an objection was interposed to the competency of the court on the ground that he was related by affinity to the prosecutor. This failed. Next an earnest effort was made for a continuance. The state fought this aggressively, thus giving warning of what was to come, and it, too, failed.

In sheer desperation I then whispered to my client, "Your real name is Patrick, not Patsy, isn't it?" The indictment named him Patsy Donevan. Then, moving to quash the indictment for the misnomer, I wrote out the defendant's affidavit in support. The affidavit stated that the defendant's name was Patrick and that he was commonly known and called by this name and not by the name of Patsy Donevan. He took the affidavit and read, or seemed to read, it carefully and, going to the clerk's desk, swore to it and signed it "Patsy Donevan." This, of course, was the way he usually signed his name, but he never reflected that to sign it Patsy this time was to afford the strongest evidence of the falsity of the affidavit.

Arguing the case without looking at the affidavit, I didn't see how he had signed it, but the state attorney had noticed the signature and in his reply called the court's attention to it. This disclosure raised a storm of laughter and jeering in the courtroom. I was confounded and at the end of my resources. Not so was Patsy. Realizing his peril, that the slip was his own and that he alone could retrieve it, he spoke out, not a whit abashed: "I signed it Patsy out of pure respect for your honor. It's not for me to give the lie to your honor's court papers. Your honor's court paper says I'm Patsy, and I'll sign it Patsy until your honor gives me leave to write my own true name."

The court sustained the motion from pure admiration for Patsy. We now had time to look about us. A few months later the case was tried, the jury failing to agree. The bail bond, which had been fixed at a high figure, was then reduced to a reasonable sum. He gave the bond, saying he had "lost by a nose," but he never returned to stand another trial, although his bondsmen were promptly reimbursed, and the writer was generously remembered, receiving, as I now remember, $300. I have often been curious to know what became of the game, rollicking, imperturbable Patsy.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

The Essentials.

"Do you want a shirt that opens in the front or one that opens in the back?" asked the counter jumper.

"Don't keer where it opens," answered Farmer Hayseed, "so long as it's got an opening at the top and another at the bottom."—Exchange.

A Man-of-war of 1814.

The Impregnable of 1814 was of 2,278 tons, a 98 gun ship by the official rating, though her ten carronades brought her total battery up to 108 guns. She was therefore by no means one of the largest ships; indeed we had ten of greater size and force at sea or in reserve. Her heaviest gun was the old 32 pounder smooth bore, mounted on the rudest truck carriage, without sights or elevating screw. Her broadside was 1,018 pounds. Her total crew was, when she was fully manned, 748—officers, men and boys. The men were raised by impressment or recruited voluntarily for the ship's commission. We had not as yet adopted our present admirable system of manning the fleet. The discipline was arbitrary and cruel; there were countless floggings with the cat for the smallest offenses, and the number of lashes inflicted varied from a dozen or half dozen to 500 and even 1,000.

Reading the court martials of those days, one alternately wonders how the officers held down the gangs of ruffians they commanded and how the men endured the manifold brutalities of their officers. Brave to a superlative degree as these men were, with that fiery courage which welcomes battle and death, they cannot compare in quality with the officers and men who now take our ships to sea. Everywhere except in the highest ranks, where our captains and admirals are too old, the change has been one wholly for the good. Yet it has not kept pace with the times, and today our sailors are poorly paid and not too well fed.—Nineteenth Century.

Edible "Coffins."

At a very early period the orientals were familiar with a kind of pastry, a mixture of flour, oil and honey, and for centuries pastry making went no further, even among the nations in the south of Europe. But in the beginning of the middle ages a change began to take place in the method of mixing the ingredients, and some other substances were brought into use. Butter, eggs and salt found their way into pastry making, and the result was a manifest improvement. Paste next came to be used as an inclosure for meat, seasoned with spices, etc. Afterward it went a step further, the next use being for the inclosure of creams, fruit, preserves, etc., and later still it began to take the many fanciful shapes in which it has since been commonly found. In the early stages of English cookery the pastry cases were called coffins or "coffynes" and were made in various sizes from "gret coffynes with lowe liddes" for the "tartes of fflesche" to the "smalle coffynes" for "tartolettes" of "fische or filesche," mixed with "stuf of boylled figges ground and good powdure and spices."

Petruchio in "The Taming of the Shrew," it may here be noted, calls a little cap "a custard coffin." These coffins correspond with the "vol-au-vent" of today.—Gentleman's Magazine.

The Cultus of the Adjective.

Everybody nowadays in prose or poetry claps on an adjective to every noun. It degrades the adjective and enervates the noun. Then, too, there is a host of vulgar overdressed people introduced into our company, whom we, the old fashioned adjectives, hardly recognize — "strenuous," "intense," "weird," "fiery," "sympathetic," "splendid," "secure," "naive," "impressive," "poignant" — mostly attached, too, to the wrong nouns. There are too many adjectives, and they carry too much sail, like dalilia, "bedecked, ornate and gay." I noticed, as an instance the other way, a criticism in a French review the other day of the academician sea captain who calls himself Pierre Loti, whose style is so defecated (I believe that is the term invented by the Postlethwayte school—you remember Postlethwayte?) that he seldom or never uses an adjective more startling than "good," "bad," "green," "red," "dark," "light," and so on, and yet so orders his sentence that the adjective shines out like a rose on a brier bush.—Longman's Magazine.

Mervousness.

This term was first used by a minister of state who affected to ridicule the warnings of those who were constantly drawing the attention of the two houses of parliament to Russia's steady advance toward India. The term was a happy one in its way, but time ere long proved that the alarmists were correct, and the said minister, so far as I remember, deprecated its being constantly brought up against him.

This word was coined by the Duke of Argyll, who, in a speech in the house of lords, was deriding the well founded apprehensions of those who feared that the Russians would make themselves masters of Merv, in Turkistan. They took it in 1883-4.—Notes and Queries.

Took the Bait.

Minnie—Mr. Billie, if I should consent to be your wife, are you sure you would never object to my dressmaker's bills, never refuse to buy theater tickets when asked, never—er—in fact, never object to any expenses which I might wish to incur?

Mr. Billie—Darling, I swear it!

Minnie—Well, Mr. Billie, if you can't hold on to your money any better than that, I must say, "No."—London Fun.

A Theory.

Tommie—Pa, how do storms git out?

Tompkins—Get out? What are you driving at—out of what?

Tommie—W'y, the weather bureau, o' course! I didn't know but mebby the man left a drawer open.—Up to Date.

The English of It.

He—You have had a week now to think of my proposal of marriage.

She—Yes, and the more I think of it the less I think of it.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Perfumed Cloth Is Now Sold.

Druggists in New York keep a perfumed cloth that is sold by the yard. It is imported and is by some process known to perfumers saturated with a sachet powder or essence that is very strong and lasting. It comes as high as $8 and $10 a yard, but is very wide, and one-fourth of a yard is a generous supply. Small pieces, three inches square or less, are sewed in hats, dress waists and skirts and are laid in glove and handkerchief boxes and chiffonier drawers. When it is considered that a fine sachet sells for $1, these perfumed lengths are really economical.

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Notice of Election.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the City of Sonoma, State of California, that a general Municipal Election will be held in said City at the City Hall on the second Monday of April, to wit:

11th Day of April, 1898

for the election of the following City Officers:

1. Three Trustees for the full term of four years.
2. One Treasurer.
3. One Clerk and Assessor.
4. One Marshal and Collector.

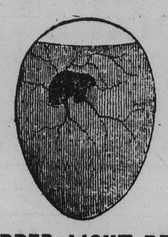
The polls will be open from sunrise of the morning of the day of election until 5 o'clock P. M., of the same day.

A Board of Election to conduct said Election, has been appointed as follows, to wit:

Inspector, P. J. Keil.
Inspector, A. Bulotti.
Judge, J. D. Wagnon.
Judge, H. C. Lutgens.
Clerk, L. H. Green
Clerk, John Revie.
Ballot Clerk, Louis Breitenbach.
Ballot Clerk, Ranald McDonell.

By order of the Board of Trustees.
ROBERT A. POPPE,
{SEAL} City Clerk.
Sonoma, March 16th, 1898.

FOR SALE.



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All Kinds of Machinery
At San Francisco Prices delivered in Sonoma.
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Shaving	15cts.	Hair Cutting	25cts
Shampooing	25 "	Sea Foam	10 "
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CHEAP FOR CASH.

Horseshoeing	$1.60
Tire-setting	2.50

All other work in proportion.
J. S. YOUNG,
General Blacksmith, Sonoma.

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SONOMA, APRIL 2, 1898.

M. H. GRANICE - - - - - - - - - - - EDITOR

THE WATER QUESTION—SUBTERFUGE.

THERE are two tickets in the field for City Trustees at the forthcoming municipal election. Each of these tickets represent a principle of municipal government—that is to say, one is in favor of the water proposition now on and the other entered the field avowedly against a municipal ownership of water works.

The ticket that favors the water proposition is composed of the following citizens: Dr. H. H. Davis, Fred'k T. Duhring and Granville S. Harris.

The ticket that is against the present and only water proposition before the people is composed of Geo. Breitenbach, J. E. Poppe and Henry Weyl.

Messrs. Breitenbach, Poppe and Weyl, seeing that public opinion is against them on the water proposition, have resorted to subterfuge in order to defeat the will of the people and now proclaim themselves in favor of a better water supply for Sonoma.

Now, let us see if their records prove it. The minutes of the City Trustees go to prove that J. E. Poppe, who aspires to re-election, has voted steadily "No" on every proposition advanced by the present Board, of which he is a member, which had for its purpose the betterment of Sonoma's water supply. When a resolution, introduced by Trustees Hartin at a meeting of the Board on Wednesday, February 16th, declaring a necessity to exist for the construction of a municipal system of water works in Sonoma, the yeas and nays were called, and Trustee Poppe was the *only member* of the Board who voted NO! This is only one of a dozen instances where, as a member of the Board, he had an eye out for the Poppe artesian well interests as against those of the general public.

George Breitenbach, who is another of the trio seeking to get votes by proclaiming he is in favor of a "better water supply," has endorsed the actions of Trustee Poppe on the water proposition by patting him on the back in public and exclaiming: "Stay with them, Julius, old boy." George Breitenbach has also placarded the show windows of his harness shop, so bitter has he been against the efforts of many of our leading citizens to give Sonoma a better water supply, with insinuations that they were thieves and boodlers. George Breitenbach in favor of "a better water supply," forsooth. Why, it is less than six weeks ago that he remarked on the public street: "I have just dug a well back of my shop. That is good enough for me. If you want water go and dig a well as I have done."

Henry Weyl, Sr., is the other candidate on the anti-water ticket. It matters little what he says he favors or does not favor. He went back on his signature as a stockholder in the Sonoma Electric Light Company and that settles his candidacy, and—well, he is a dead duck. We have no more ammunition to waste on the bird.

AN exchange says that a man who owns a small country paper made up his mind that he was entitled to a vacation, and having fixed a place to "put in his time," wrote to the President of a railroad for a pass. In recommendation of his paper he said: "My paper has a wide circulation, it goes everywhere; in fact, I have hard work to keep it from going to h—l!" He got the pass.

THERE was 429 votes cast at the water election held in Healdsburg last Monday. Of these 362 were for a municipal ownership of water works and only 63 against. There were also a number of scattering votes cast.

Monongalia county, West Virginia, has a citizen named Haymond Gripp with an ambition so peculiar and unusual that some people think him crazy. For many years he has made it a point to be the first citizen in the county to pay his taxes. About three years ago, and for the first time in his life, he was beaten by a swifter taxpayer, and it nearly broke his heart.

CITIZENS OF HEALDSBURG WIN THEIR WATER FIGHT.

THE proposition to bond the town of Healdsburg for $80,000 for water and light was submitted to the voters of that city last Monday and was carried by a big majority. The news was a damper on the silurians of Sonoma and their anti-water ticket, composed of Messrs. Breitenbach, Poppe and Weyl, who are opposed to the present and only water proposition before the people of Sonoma. This proposition will be submitted to the voters on Tuesday, April 26th, and the progressive citizens of this city, like those of Healdsburg, are going to vote for the water proposition and make Sonoma what it ought to have been years ago—a go-ahead, progressive and prosperous town.

Candidates for and Against the Water Proposition.

Two tickets will be presented to the voters for City Trustees at the municipal election, which will be held in this place on Monday, April 11th. Those in favor of a municipal ownership of water works have nominated a ticket and those against the proposition have also placed candidates in the field.

Here is how the two tickets stand on the water proposition:

FOR.	AGAINST.
1—H. H. Davis.	1—Geo. Breitenbach.
2—F. T. Duhring.	2—J. E. Poppe.
3—G. S. Harris.	3—Henry Weyl.

SCHELLVILLE SIFTINGS

Edwin Lord transacted business in Sonoma Friday.

Miss Josie Kiser visited Sonoma friends last Thursday.

Billy Myers, formerly of Sonoma, is now acting as host of Vollmar's Hotel.

The recent earthquake, in addition to other damage, upset between 300 and 400 pans of milk on the Anton Kiser dairy.

Rain is badly needed down this way. Pasturage has ceased growing and will commence to dry up if rain does not come within a week.

The residence of Wm. Hamilton on the Jones ranch was lifted bodily by Wednesday night's earthquake and landed two feet from its foundation.

Steve Akers, Miss Mattie Goodman and Miss Ruffner, who is visiting at the Akers residence, rode to Sonoma last Wednesday evening on their wheels.

The earthquake opened up large cracks in the earth near Capt. Hauto's place. Some of these are between eight and ten inches wide. They have filled up with water, the depth of which has not as yet been sounded.

The drawbridge of the S. F. & N. P. Railway, which crosses Petaluma Creek at Black Point, was rendered impassible by the earthquake of Wednesday night, since which time passengers, mail matter and freight have had to be transported across the stream by a ferry boat. It will take eight or ten days to repair the bridge and make it passible for trains.

Deputy Sheriff Ohm, who was absent when the El Verano robbery was committed, immediately upon his return home investigated the case and discovered the culprits were five or six young fellows who were in camp together in various parts of the valley for three days. Immediately after robbing the store they boarded a cattle train at this place and made good their escape.

Resolutions of Respect.

At a meeting of Glen Ellen Parlor, No. 102, held Saturday evening, March 27, 1898, the following resolutions of respect to the memory of F. W. Weise were adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God to remove from our midst and forever separate from us on earth our beloved brother, FREDERICK WILLIAM WEISE, and

Whereas, His family has lost a loving brother ann Glen Ellen Parlor, No. 102, N. S. G. W., an earnet and efficient member, therefore be it

Resolved, That while submitting with all humility to the stern decree that has caused this sad break in our fraternal circle we beg leave to offer our sympathy to the members of his bereaved family who have suffered the loss of a devoted brother, and be it

Resolved, That our Charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days, that these resolutions be spread upon the Minutes of the Parlor and published in the SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE and the Sonoma News and an engrossed copy be forwarded to the family of the deceased.

CHAS. J. POPPE,
ROBERT P. HILL.
B. M. BONES,
Committee.

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COURT PROCEEDINGS.

DEPARTMENT ONE—DOUGHERTY J.

In the matter of the estate of Mrs. Priscilla Wilson, the wealthy Petaluma woman who died recently, the question of issuing letters of administration was submitted and taken under advisement by the court, and likewise the admitting to probate of the will was continued to April 4th.

In these estates the final accounts were settled and distribution was ordered: estates of Michael Bodemey and John J. Souza.

C. W. Stolker was appointed executor of the estate of Ernestine Stolker.

John Pursell was appointed guardian of Lydia E. Ford in a bond of $450. The girl will have the use of the pension of her dead father until she reaches the age of sixteen.

The account was settled in regard the trusteeship of Melvin Rogers. His resignation as trustee was accepted and John W. Goodman was appointed in his place.

A divorce was granted on the grounds of failure to provide, in White vs. White.

The suit brought by E. L. Walker against Stephen Meeker was set for trial for April 13th. These matters were continued: C. C. Swafford vs. Petaluma Board of Education, to May 2nd; Ida Stearns vs. Fred'k Stearns, to April 4th; J. W. Lucas vs. G. W. Patton, and W. A. Boscow vs. G. W. Patton.

DEPARTMENT TWO—BURNETT, J.

Professor T. M. Carlton, who has spent several months in jail awaiting trial on a charge of attempted criminal assault on a girl at Guerneville, was dismissed on Tuesday morning on motion of the District Attorney on the grounds of insufficiency of evidence to convict.

The Hilton man, Blakeley, was also dismissed on motion of the District Attorney on the same grounds as in the Carlton case. Blakeley was charged with a serious offense.

In the only civil case on the calendar Monday Ira C. Jenks was associated as counsel in the suit of Mary B. Gilroy vs. Hugh B. Gilroy.

Judgment for plaintiff was given in the suit on foreclosure of school lands brought by Sonoma county against Nellie Spencer.

The case of Peters vs. Peters was set for trial.

Marvelous Effects

System Broken Down and Hope Almost Abandoned—Health Restored by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"For fifteen years I have suffered with catarrh and indigestion and my whole system was broken down. I had almost abandoned any hope of recovery. I purchased six bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla and its effects have been marvelous. It has made me feel like a new man. I am able to sleep well, have a good appetite, and I have gained several pounds in weight." JAMES WILDER, Oroville, Wash.

"I had a scrofula swelling on one side of my neck and ulcerated sores in my nostrils, caused by catarrh. I also had small, itching sores on my limbs. I bought three bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla and began taking it and the sores soon healed. My blood is purified, and the scrofula has disappeared." O. D. MCMANUS, Mission, Washington.

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LEGAL.

Ordinance No. 56.

An Ordinance calling a special election in the City of Sonoma, submitting to the qualified electors of said city at said election the proposition to incur a municipal debt aggregating Eighteen Thousand Dollars for the object and purpose of acquiring, constructing and completing a permanent system of municipal waterworks, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, aqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks and machinery for the same, and connected with the use thereof, to supply the City of Sonoma and the inhabitants thereof with a sufficient quantity of pure, fresh water, the cost of which proposed waterworks will be too great to be paid out of the ordinary annual revenue and income of said City of Sonoma; providing for the issuance of the bonds of said city for said amount if said proposition be accepted by the qualified electors thereof as required by law; prescribing the time and manner of holding such election, and the voting for or against the proposition to incur said indebtedness and otherwise providing for and regulating said election.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma do hereby ordain as follows:

SECTION I.

Whereas, It appears to the satisfaction of the said Board of Trustees, and is by the said Board hereby determined and adjudged that the said Board of Trustees, did by ordinance duly passed by a vote of more than two-thirds of all the members of said Board of Trustees, on the sixteenth day of February, A. D. 1898, in the City of Sonoma, at a regular meeting of said Board of Trustees, then and there duly held, determine and adjudge that the public interest and necessity of the City of Sonoma, demand, and the public interest and necessity of said city do in fact demand the acquisition, construction and completion by said city of a permanent system of municipal waterworks, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, aqueducts, wells, tanks and machinery for the same, and connected with the use thereof, to supply said city and the inhabitants thereof with a sufficient quantity of pure, fresh water, and for the use of the Fire Department, and for flushing sewers, sprinkling streets and other purposes; and did also in said ordinance determine, and do now determine, that the cost of the acquisition, construction and completion by said city of said system of waterworks, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, aqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks and machinery for the same, and connected with the use thereof, is too great to be paid out of the ordinary annual income and revenue of said city; that said Ordinance No. 55, so passed as aforesaid, was thereafter and on the sixteenth day of February, A. D., 1898, duly approved in writing by the Executive of said City of Sonoma, viz: by the President of the said Board of Trustees; and that said Ordinance No. 55 was thereafter in accordance with the order and direction of said Board of Trustees, by the City Clerk caused to be published, and was duly published as provided by law, for two weeks consecutively, to-wit: Commencing on the 19th day of February, A. D., 1898, and ending on the 5th day of March, 1898, in THE SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE, a weekly newspaper of general circulation published in the said City of Sonoma, and as often as said newspaper was published during that time, to-wit: On the 19th day of February, 1898, the 26th day of February, 1898, and on the 5th day of March, 1898, such dates being the days of publication of said newspaper; and whereas said Board of Trustees did, by resolution duly passed by the vote of more than two-thirds of all the members thereof, authorize the Committee on Water Works to secure the services of a competent engineer to assist them in their efforts, and whereas said committee did authorize, direct and employ Otto Von Geldern and C. E. Grunsky, competent civil engineers, who had theretofore had successful experience in the work of the acquisition, construction and completion of permanent systems of waterworks to make, prepare and submit to said Board of Trustees plans and estimates of the cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of a permanent system of waterworks to supply said city and the inhabitants thereof with a sufficient quantity of pure, fresh water; that the said Otto Von Geldern and C. E. Grunsky did make, prepare and submit to the said Board of Trustees plans and estimates of the cost of such a system of waterworks; that the said Board of Trustees did, by resolution duly passed by a vote of more than two-thirds of the members thereof, receive, accept and approve said plans and estimates; that as shown by said plans and estimates and as is now hereby determined, the maximum cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of a permanent system of waterworks, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, aqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks and machinery for the same, and connected with the use thereof, will amount in the aggregate to Eighteen Thousand Dollars; that the entire assessed value of all the real and personal property of and in said city is not in excess of three hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars; that the entire annual income and revenue of said city has hitherto been and now is the sum not to exceed Two Thousand Dollars; that there is now no outstanding, unpaid indebtedness of, or due from, said city; that the cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of said system of waterworks, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, aqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks and machinery for the same, and connected with the use thereof, will not exceed and will be less than 15 per cent. of the assessed value of all the real and personal property of and in said city.

SECTION II.

Now, therefore, in consideration of the premises, and in pursuance of the acts, ordinances, resolutions and proceedings aforesaid, and of the laws and statutes in such cases made and provided, a special election is hereby ordered and called to be held and conducted in and for said City of Sonoma, California, at the time and in the manner hereinafter fixed, designated and described; at which special election there shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the said City of Sonoma, and there is hereby submitted to the qualified voters of said city to be voted upon at said special election as hereinafter provided, the proposition of incurring a debt amounting to Eighteen Thousand Dollars by said City of Sonoma, for the acquisition, construction and completion by said city of said permanent system of water works, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, acqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks, and machinery for the same, and connected with the use thereof by the said City of Sonoma and its inhabitants.

SECTION III.

The objects and purposes for which said indebtedness is proposed to be incurred are as follows: The acquisition, construction and completion by said City of Sonoma of said permanent system of waterworks, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, acqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks and machinery for the same and connected with the use thereof as aforesaid, and to do and perform all acts and things whatsoever necessary for the construction and completion of public waterworks for the said city and its inhabitants, and for the construction and completion of said waterworks, to supply said city and the inhabitants thereof with a sufficient quantity of pure, fresh water for domestic use and for the use of the Fire Department, and for flushing sewers, sprinkling streets and other purposes.

SECTION IV.

The estimated cost of the acquisition, construction and completion by said city of said system of water works, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, acqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks, and machinery for the same, and connected with the use thereof and of all other things and acts whatsoever necessary for the proper use thereof, and of the whole of said contemplated system of water works is Eighteen Thousand Dollars.

SECTION V.

That the acquisition, construction and completion of said system of water works by said city is necessary for the following reasons:

First—That said city has no water works in its possession or under its control.

Second—That the supply of water now and hitherto furnished to said city and its inhabitants is and for many years last past has been wholly insufficient for domestic use, for the use of the Fire Department, sprinkling streets, flushing sewers, and other great necessities, and is liable to give out entirely.

Third—That the water now and hitherto supplied to said city and its inhabitants by the existing water company is unsuitable for domestic use.

Fourth—That it is necessary and for the best interests of said city, and the inhabitants thereof, and the public interest and necessity demand that a sufficient supply of pure, fresh water be furnished said city and the inhabitants thereof for domestic use, sprinkling streets, flushing sewers, for the Fire Department and other great necessities.

SECTION VI.

It is hereby determined and declared that the cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of said city of said system of water works, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for supplying water, structures, acqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks, and machinery for the same, and connected with the use thereof is and will be too great to be paid out of the ordinary annual income and revenue of said city, and therefore it is necessary for said city to incur a debt amounting to Eighteen Thousand Dollars, and to issue bonds of said city to pay for the cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of said system of waterworks and to pay the cost of all thereof.

SECTION VII.

That bonds of the city of Sonoma of the character of bonds known as "serials" to the aggregate amount of Eighteen Thousand Dollars will be issued to pay for the cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of said system of waterworks if the proposition to incur said municipal indebtedness by said city for the cost of such system of waterworks be accepted by the qualified voters of said city at said special election; and said bonds shall be issued and made payable in Gold Coin of the United States of America of the present weight and fineness, in the manner following: One-fortieth part of the whole amount of said indebtedness so incurred shall be payable each and every year on a day in each year, and at a place to be specified therein, and to be hereafter fixed by the Board of Trustees of said city. Said indebtedness, or any unpaid portion thereof, shall bear interest, at the rate of six per cent. per annum, which interest shall be paid in semi-annual installments, payable on certain days in each year, and at a place to be specified in said bonds and to be hereafter fixed by the Board of Trustees of said city.

SECTION VIII.

Said special election hereby called as aforesaid, shall be held on Tuesday the 26th day of April, 1898, and shall be held and conducted, and the votes thereat received and canvassed, and returns thereof made and the result thereof ascertained and determined as herein provided and according to the law governing such elections in the City of Sonoma; and the polls for such election shall be and remain open from sunrise of the said 26th day of April, 1898, to the hour of five o'clock of the afternoon of said day.

SECTION IX.

Notice of the said special election shall be published for not less than two weeks prior to said day of election, and after the final publication of this ordinance as hereinafter provided, in at least one of the newspapers published in the City of Sonoma, in accordance with the terms and provisions of the statutes in such cases made and provided.

SECTION X.

The ballots which shall be used at said special election shall be of the same character and form as ballots required by law to be used at municipal elections in said City of Sonoma, except as hereinafter otherwise provided. Each of said ballots shall have printed thereon the following caption or heading, to-wit: "MUNICIPAL TICKET," and shall have printed thereon and under said caption the following words, to-wit: "Proposition for incurring an indebtedness by the City of Sonoma to the aggregate amount of Eighteen Thousand Dollars for the acquisition, construction and completion by said city of a permanent system of waterworks, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, acqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks, machinery for the same, and all other things necessary for the proper use thereof, as set forth in Ordinance No. 55 of said city." Underneath the last foregoing words upon each of said ballots shall be printed the following: "To vote for or against incurring said indebtedness stamp a cross (X) to the right of and against the answer you desire to give." Underneath which shall be printed in one line the following: "For incurring the indebtedness," to the right of which shall be printed in one square the word "Yes" with a blank square to the right thereof, and immediately below the same there shall be printed in one line the following: "For incurring the indebtedness," on the right of which there shall be printed in one square the word "No," with a blank square to the right thereof. Every voter desiring to assent to, and accept the said proposition for incurring the said indebtedness set forth herein shall in voting at said election stamp a cross (X) in the blank square to the right of the word "Yes" printed upon his ballot as aforesaid. And every voter desiring to reject the said proposition of incurring said indebtedness shall in voting at said election stamp a cross (X) in the blank square to the right of the word "No" printed upon his ballot as aforesaid.

SECTION XI.

The place of voting at said special election shall be in the building known as the City Pavilion, situated in the public Plaza in said City of Sonoma; and the officers to conduct said election are respectively defined, designated, selected and appointed as follows, to-wit: Judges, L. Litzius and A. Bulotti; Inspectors, V. Jensen and J. D. Wagnon; Ballot Clerks, Jas. H. Albertson and Peter Keil; Tally Clerks, L. Breitenbach and H. C. Lutgens. In case any of the officers above appointed to conduct said election do not attend at the opening of the polls on the morning of the election, the electors of the said city present at that hour may appoint or supply any competent person from among themselves to fill the place of such absent member thereof.

All persons qualified by law to vote at municipal elections in said city shall be qualified to vote at said special election.

SECTION XII.

As soon as the polls are finally closed at said special election, the officers of election shall canvass the votes cast at said special election for and against incurring said indebtedness hereinbefore mentioned, as nearly as practicable in the manner provided by law for canvassing votes for municipal officers at elections held in the city of Sonoma. The returns of said special election shall be made out and signed in the usual form by the said officers of election, and shall be deposited with the City Clerk of said city together with the ballots cast at said special election.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma shall, as soon as the said returns and ballots have been deposited with the said City Clerk as aforesaid, canvass the returns in the manner provided by law for canvassing the returns of elections of municipal officers in said city. If, upon the canvass of said returns as aforesaid, it shall be ascertained and determined that at least two-thirds of the qualified voters of said city voting at said special election, have voted in favor of the said proposition for incurring the said indebtedness, then bonds of the City of Sonoma, in the sum Eighteen Thousand Dollars, shall be issued by said city as by law provided, and hereafter prescribed by the said Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma.

SECTION XIII.

Immediately upon the passage of this Ordinance by said Board of Trustees and the approval thereof by the Executive of said city, to wit: the President of the Board of Trustees, this ordinance shall be published once a week for two weeks consecutively in THE SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE, a weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in said City of Sonoma, and the City Clerk of said city is hereby ordered and directed to cause such publication of this ordinance to be made as aforesaid.

Passed this sixteenth day of March, 1898, by the following vote:

Trustee Seipp, voting aye.
Trustee Hartin, voting aye.
Trustee Modini, voting aye.
Trustee Bulotti, voting aye.
Trustee Poppe voting no.

Approved this 17th day of March, 1898.

J. H. SEIPP,
President Board of City Trustees of Sonoma City.

Attest:
{SEAL.}
ROBERT A. POPPE,
City Clerk.

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CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

To the Electors of Sonoma City

Having announced ourselves as candidates for City Trustees at the election to be held April 11th, 1898, it seems but right that we should define our position on the topics now especially agitating the public mind of our city.

First—We are in favor of securing the most efficient municipal water system at the least cost consistent with efficiency.

Second—To secure this we are in favor of bonding the city, obligating ourselves, should we be elected, to cancel all bonds voted in excess of the actual amount needed to secure said water supply.

Third—We agree, if elected, to submitt the different water propositions which may come before the Board of Trustees to the voters of Sonoma, that they may indicate by a majority vote their preference, and to construct a system in accordance with that preference.

Fourth—We favor the introduction of electric lights into our city.

Fifth—We are in favor of and promise to conduct all business of the city with strict economy and justice to all.

If these ideas meet your approval we would be glad to have you give all of us your support at the coming election, for if these projects are to be carried out it must be by our united efforts. Bickerings or personal feelings should not be allowed to influence in this contest. It is simply a question as to whether we do or do not represent your views.

FRED'K T. DUHRING,
H. H. DAVIS,
G. S. HARRIS.

Result of a Slight Injury.

Ludwig Steiger, son of Ed. Steiger of Agua Caliente, who was a patient at St. Luke's Hospital, San Francisco, for fifteen weeks, has returned home. On the 28th of July last a surgical operation was performed upon his right knee cap by Dr. Kenyon, one of the surgeons of the hospital. The operation was necessary in order to save the limb. About five years ago young Steiger received a very slight injury to the limb. It was so slight indeed that no attention whatever was paid to the hurt. Later on, however, the knee commenced to bother him and gradually grew worse until he had to submit to the opeaation narrated above, which was the removal of diseased bone and tissue. He is on crutches, but expects to navigate without them in the course of a few weeks.

An Old Timer Passes Away.

Robt. A. Spence, a Mexican War Veteran and one of the early pioneers of Sonoma, died in Napa one day last week. The deceased will be remembered by the pioneer residents of this valley. Spence crossed the plains with the Carriger and Cooper families in 1848 and with them located in Sonoma Valley in the spring of 1849. He resided here for many years, but removed to Napa county nearly a quarter of a century ago.

Store Robbed.

El Verano had its sensation on Saturday morning last, when the early risers of that interesting town discovered that the store of Chambers & Weaver had been entered and robbed some time Friday night. The thieves were evidently tramps, and in addition to securing a large quantity of wearing apparel, groceries, etc, they also carried away several articles of jewelry.

Edelmann's Red Seal Cough Cure is the only cure for obstinate coughs and colds. Only at Edelmann's, Petaluma.

Adam Adler, wheelwright, No. 12, Napa street, will repair wagons and buggies for you. *

A TERRIBLE TEMBLOR.

PHENOMENA OF THE QUAKE

Shakes Old Sonoma Up—Many People Imagine It to be the Crack of Doom.

Sonoma is a sleepy town. For years past she has needed a good shaking up, and she got it, too, last Wednesday night at fifteen minutes to twelve o'clock. It came in the shape of one of the most prolonged and violent earthquake shocks ever experienced by her residents. The day had been the warmest of the season—a balmy spring day—and when our people retired for the night they little thought that their slumbers were to be rudely broken by one of the worst and most appalling shaking-ups they ever received.

The vibrations of the temblor were first from north to south. It then switched off from east to west with a rattle and a roar that caused the stoutest hearts to quail. Everybody jumped out of their beds in terror, thinking that the houses over their heads were falling to pieces.

The first shock was followed at intervals by four other temblors that were exceedingly heavy and over twenty lesser ones that simply caused the windows to rattle and kept those who remained up the balance of the night in a constant state of alarm for fear each recurring shake would be worse than its predecessor.

Considerable damage was done in both town and valley by falling chimneys, cracking of brick and stone walls of buildings, the breaking of windows and wrecking of glassware.

The store of Campanelli & Olivieri, after the shake up presented a woeful sight. The walls were seamed and cracked and the floor was littered with plaster, glassware, broken bottles containing olive oil and olives, packages of coffee and many other articles that had been shaken off the high shelves.

The front show windows in F. Clewe's store were smashed and the south side of the building is seamed and cracked to an alarming extent.

The Sonoma Valley Bank building is badly fractured and the vault damaged.

A lodger in Pinelli's lodging house was startled out of a sound slumber by the plastered ceiling overhead falling upon him. He thought he was a goner sure, but quickly gathered himself together and made his way down stairs into the street in a very abbreviated garment.

The family of Wm. McElroy, residing on their farm a couple of miles south of town, were badly frightened by the falling of a chimney. It fell with a terrible crash through the roof and ceiling of the dining room and the floor was strewn with brick, plaster and splinters of wood.

The High School building was also cracked and seamed, but not to such an extent as to render it dangerous.

Two large chimneys attached to Hon. Robt. Howe's residence were shaken down and other damage done. Mr. Howe jumped out of bed from a sound sleep, thinking there was a big Democratic ratification meeting going on all over the world.

A windmill at Hartin's slaughter house was hurled to the ground and badly wrecked.

Scores of brick chimneys in town and valley were cracked and twisted and many of them will have to be replaced by new ones.

A large reservoir of water at Capt. Boyes' Agua Rica Springs was lifted bodily by the upheaval and cast to one side as though it were in a wash bowl, leaving the reservoir almost dry.

S. Schocken suffered considerable damage to his buildings and many articles of bric-a-brac, glassware, etc., were hurled to the floor and ruined.

It is impossible to detail all individual damage, but it is safe to assume that the loss sustained in the valley will reach several thousand dollars.

The Moore Property Changes Hands.

Mrs. Susie Enos has purchased the Moore place on Broadway, belonging to Mrs. Kittie Moore Daves. Mrs. Enos intends, after making extensive improvements on her purchase, to occupy the same as a home. The deed transferring the property was recorded on Friday of last week. The sale was effected through the real estate agency of H. H. Granice.

Have you heard of Edelmann's new drug store in Petaluma. He's a graduated Pharmacist. Opposite Hale's dry goods store. *

SENATOR ENOS DROPS DEAD.

HE WAS IN TOWN THURSDAY AND APPARENTLY IN GOOD HEALTH.

Heart Disease the Cause of His Sudden Taking Off — Controversy Over Possession of the Remains—The Dead Senator's Will Opened and Read at the Funeral Services Yesterday.

Senator John S. Enos, lawyer and politician and for many years a resident of Sonoma Valley, dropped dead on Wednesday morning last at 9:15 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. R. J. Snyder, one mile northeast of town.

He arose at his usual hour and partook of a hearty breakfast, after which he repaired to the stable and hitched up his buggy horse. He then returned to the house and had no sooner crossed the threshold when he suddenly and without a warning cry fell backward and expired instantly.

Senator Enos was a pioneer resident, having come to California in the early fifties. He located in San Francisco and entered upon the practice of the law. In 1879 he was elected on the Workingman's ticket to represent San Francisco in the State Senate. He served four years and shortly after his term of office expired he was appointed State Labor Commissioner by Governor Stoneman. This position he held for a number of years.

Years ago he came to this valley and purchased "Grand View," a magnificient country residence located in the northwestern suburbs of town, where with his wife and daughter he dispensed hospitality with a lavish hand. About nine years ago the daughter having married, housekeeping was broken up and "Grand View" was purchased by Mr. Thos. Erskine. Previous to disposing of the property there was an estrangement between Mr. and Mrs. Enos, after a happy married life of over twenty years. Mrs. Enos never secured a divorce.

John S. Enos was a native of Fulton county, New York, and was aged 72 years.

Upon receiving news of her husband's death, the wife, who has been residing in San Francisco, telegraphed to have the remains shipped to her home in that city.

Mrs. Snyder, however, refused to allow the remains to be taken away from her home, claiming that it was the dead Senator's wish to be buried in the family vault on her premises. Notices were caused to be posted around town Thursday announcing that the funeral would take place Friday morning at 11 o'clock from the residence of Mrs. Snyder. An unsuccessful effort was made by Mrs. Enos to secure the remains and the services took place as announced. The remains, however, were not placed in the vault.

During the services the will was opened and read over the remains. The deceased requested that he should not be buried until four days after his death. The will be queathed $5,000 to his daughter, Mrs. Gertie C. Willis; his gold watch and chain to his nephew, John Summerfield Enos, and the balance of his property to his friend, Mrs. R. J. Snyder.

The will, which was read by the Senator's old friend, ex-State Senator Bender of San Francisco, stipulated that his body be given to Mrs, Snyder to make disposition of it as she saw fit. E. S. Lippitt of Petaluma was nominated executor of the estate without bonds, deceased declaring that the entire estate he possessed was separate property.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Wylie of Napa.

The body still remains in possession of Mrs. Snyder and reposes in one of the spacious parlors of her mansion.

Mrs. Enos and her lawyers are making vigorous efforts to secure possession of the body. Papers have been served on Mrs. Snyder by Sheriff Allen restraining her from burying deceased, and there promises to be a big lawsuit over the possession of the remains and contest of the will.

When Traveling

Whether on pleasure bent or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver, and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50 cent bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Broma Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

And Other Matters of Interest to the General Reader.

Items of a personal and social nature are thankfully received at this office.

The public school children will enjoy a vacation all of next week.

Mrs. J. H. Humphries is recovering from a severe attack of *la grippe*.

Miss Annie Pemberton returned Wednesday evening from the metropolis.

Fred'k T. Duhring transacted legal business in Fresno several days this weeek.

Robt. Clark returned from San Francisco to his home near Agua Caliente last Sunday.

Jack Henderson is here, visiting his relatives, Mrs. George Maxwell and family.

Mr. Richard Glazier of San Francisco visited Sonoma friends Saturday and Sunday.

Sheriff Sam Allen came down from Santa Rosa yesterday to attend to legal business.

Mrs. Jas. Law has been confined to her home the past two weeks by a severe spell of sickness.

John Revie, who has been in El Dorado county the past week, returned home Thursday.

There will be a regular meeting of the Trustees of the Sonoma Valley High School to-day at 2:30 o'clock.

Miss M. Burke returned to her home at Schellville Sunday, after a visit to her parents in the metropolis.

Miss Annie Pemberton, assisted by Miss Nettie Thomas, has resumed charge of Hotz's millinery establishment for the season.

Malcolm Elliott is here, the guest of Mrs. C. W. Lubeck of Scheliville. Mr. Elliott is a student of the Leland Stanford University.

W. H. Atkinson of Napa, representing Porter Bros., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Erskine several days this week.

H. C. Manuel, formerly of this place, sailed for Alaska on March 7th. He is bound for Dawson City and a fortune.

Wm. Murray, the well-known dairyman, has obtained the contract for supplying the Mare Island Navy Yard with cheese.

Walter Burris is down from Traver, Tulare county, and is the guest of his brother, Frank Burris, Assistant Cashier of the Sonoma Valley Bank.

Miss Mabel Lowell and her friend Miss Glazier came up from Berkeley on Friday night of last week and remained on the Lowell farm until Sunday.

Taylor Gearhart will leave this month for the Klondike. Mr. Gearhart is a son-in-law of Robt. Howe and will remain in Alaska one year.

C. F. Leiding, a former resident of Sonoma, was up from Oakland Wednesday and Thursday looking after his property interests in this city.

Mr. Ed. Morris, accompanied by Miss Grace Carmer and his sisters, Miss Kate and Vinnie Morris, visited Mrs. C. H. Madison in Petaluma last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Goess, accompanied by their children Fred, George and Hazel, returned Sunday evening from a week's visit with San Francisco relatives.

A May Day picnic and festival is under consideration to be held in that most beautiful spot in Sonoma Valley—"Vale of Pansies." Prof. Ben. Weed will take an active part.

The marriage of Miss Agnes Duhring and Mr. T. C. Ryland will be solemnized in the month of June at the home of Mrs. D. Duhring on the southeast corner of Napa and Second-street East.

Harry Kenney will spend the next two months at the Morris farm, near Agua Caliente. Mr. Kenney is a cousin of Mrs. Morris and is a very talented young man, being a graduate of the Copenhagen University.

Mrs. Millie Bates on Saturday and Sunday last visited her daughter, Mrs. Pauline McMullen of Santa Rosa. During Mrs. Bates' absence the postoffice was in charge of her efficient assistants, Mrs. Henry Bates and Miss Theo Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Abraham are rejoicing in their Arizona home over the birth of their first born—a baby boy. Mrs. Abraham before her marriage was Miss Ida Goodman, the pretty little niece of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Goodman of Schellville.

H. G. Maxwell was drilling a number of the member of his orchestra in Kohler & Chase's Hall, San Francisco, last Sunday afternoon. It is Mr. Maxwell's intention to give the Sonoma Valley people another treat of fine music some time in the month of May.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

SONOMA ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY.

Articles of Incorporation Filed With the Secretary of State.

Articles of incorporation of the Sonoma Electric Light Company have been filed with the Secretary of State. The capital stock of the company is $10,000, divided into two hundred shares of the par value of $50 each.

At a meeting of the company held on Friday evening of last week, in the law office of Fred'k T. Duhring, the following stock was subscribed and paid for:

F. T. Duhring, ten shares	$ 500
H. H. Granice, " "	500
C. Aguillon " "	500
J. Fochetti " "	500
C. F. Leiding " "	500
S. Ciucci, five shares	250
F. Clewe, " "	250
Total	$3,000

The following officers of the new incorporation were elected to serve for the ensuing year:

Directors—C. F. Leiding, H. H. Granice, F. Clewe, F. T. Duhring and S. Schocken. President, F. T. Duhring; Vice-President, C. F. Leiding; Secretary, F. Clewe; Treasurer, C. Aguillon.

Plans and specifications for an electric lighting plant and buildings have been drawn up by Engineer C. T. Ryland of San Jose and accepted.

Next Wednesday evening the City Trustees will, in all probability, grant the new company the franchise asked for, when its promoters will be enabled to put a limited number of shares of the unsubscribed stock on the market to enable those who so desire to get in and help the project along.

Local Brevities.

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There will be a hot time in Glen Ellen next Saturday night. Posters have been distributed announcing another dance at Mervyn Hall and mine host Harrison is preparing to provide a grand spread. Herman Schieck's orchestra will furnish music.

Reports received from the dredger Cross, which is now dredging in the vicinity of Bethney, San Joaquin county, say that Willie Glynn and Andy Conlin, who recently left this place to accept positions of firemen on the same, are doing well and enjoying good health. The dredger is in charge of Capt. Jas. Landy, well and favorably known in this place.

American Secureties Abroad.

The sales of American securities have been, according to London advices, very large abroad of late. If this state of things holds, there will be an increasing influx of British gold into this market. This demonstrates the faith abroad in the stability of our credit. There is another point of faith for which the people not only of this but foreign countries have good grounds for credence, and that is belief in the efficacy of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters for inorganic maladies which affect the stomach, liver, bowels, kidneys and nerves. Dyspepsia, biliousness, constipation and rheumatism are conquered by it. It hastens convalescence, and diffuses a generous warmth and sensation of physical comfort throughout the system.

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Imported Castile Soap	per bar 23c	Coffee, 5-lb can with cup and saucer,	$5 c
Royal Java Roast Coffee	2 lbs for 25c	Arm & Hammar and Cow Soda	5 pks 25c
Babbitt's "1776" Washing Powder	3 pk 10c	Royal Savon Soap	20-bar box for 60c
Paradise Soda Crackers	3 lbs for 25c	Fine Table Syrup	per gal, 40c
Apricots	2 cans for 25c	Maple Syrup, ¼ gal 28c, ½ gal 45c, gal	80c
Peaches	2 cans for 25c	Strained Honey	per gal can, 85c
Plums	2 cans for 25c	Wheat for chicken feed	per 100 $1.25
Iowa Canned Corn	per doz, 90c	Our make of Corn Meal, 10 lbs 25c; 25 lbs	55c
Tomatoes	per doz, 90c	50-cent uncolored Japan Tea	30c and 25c lb
Block Codfish	4 lbs for 25c	Egyptian Corn (fine chicken feed)	$1.10
Lily Gloss Starch	6-lb box for 45c		

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Better quality Dress Skirts in Wool, Silk or Alpaca, price $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00.
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New Bias Plaid Percales, yard wide, best quality, 12½c per yd.
New Ducks and Ginghams for Dresses and Waists, 10c per yd.
Bleached or Unbleached Muslins, yard wide, 5c per yd.
Ladies' Leather Belts, Black or Tan, 10c and 15c each.
Infants and Childrens' new style Bonnets and Hats, 25c and 50c each.
200 yard spools, soft finish, white Spool Cotton, three spools for 5 cents.
500 yard spools White Cotton, 4c per spool.
Black and Brown Linen Finish Thread, 200 yd spools, 5c each.
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Men's 9 ounce Blue Denim Riveted Overalls, 30c per pr.
Boys and Youths' Brown or Blue Denim Bib Overalls, 30c per pr.
Men's heavy working Gloves, Oil Tan, 15c per pr.
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SONOMA, SATURDAY, APRIL 2, 1898

Her Mother's Spirit.

A young married woman was obliged to remain alone overnight in a St. Louis hotel a few years ago, her husband being detained by business in a neighboring town. In the dead of night the woman was awakened out of a sound sleep by a tremendous noise in the wardrobe. It was such a sudden and unearthly uproar that the woman, sensible and practical though she was, was frightened. The noise ceased, then returned. The woman jumped up, lighted the gas, looked at her watch and found it was just midnight and made a thorough search both of the wardrobe and the room. There was nothing, so far as the evidence of the senses went which could account for the racket. The woman put out the light and went back to bed. The noise was not repeated either that night or any other.

Six months afterward, however, the woman was in San Francisco, and for the first time in her life and solely out of curiosity she attended a spiritualistic meeting. Almost immediately the medium, a perfect stranger, turned to her and said, "The spirit of your mother is present, madam, and she says that six months ago (naming the precise date) she tried to communicate with you by means of the wardrobe in the Blank hotel, St. Louis." The woman's practical good sense did not desert her. "Well, you just tell my mother," she said, "that the next time she wants to communicate with me not to make such an awful racket in the dead of night and frighten me half out of my senses."—New York Sun.

Gentility Passing Away.

A frankness that is almost brutal seems to pass current in society for up to date smartness, and the language that is now used by certain fashionable people among themselves is sometimes only a little short of billingsgate, while "swear words" seem to have lost their awfulness and are used almost as freely by women as by men. It is curious how "gentility" both as a word and a quality has disappeared. Fashionable people are distinctly no longer "genteel." They may on occasions be highbred, but the mincing propriety of the belles and beaus of yore has entirely disappeared. In a well known society novel written 15 or 20 years ago, which was a presumably correct delineation of the manners and habits of the fashionable life of that time, two heroines play their role—one a Vere de Vere, with the correct speech and manners of her caste, and the other a suddenly exalted bourgeoise, who goes through the social fires of criticism and experience before she emerges true gold from the ordeal. Oddly enough today the types might be reversed; it is the bourgeoise who is "high toned" and the Vere de Vere who is a slangy hoiden.—New York Tribune.

Getting Around It.

A worried looking stranger stepped up to a crossing policeman yesterday morning and said:

"Will you kindly direct me to the Matthew, Mark, Luke and John railway depot?"

"What?"

The stranger repeated his request.

"There isn't any such depot in this town," replied the officer. "What are you giving me?"

"That isn't the name of it, of course," rejoined the other, "but it's something like it. My head's all tangled up this morning, and I can't get anything right."

A sudden thought struck the policeman.

"Do you mean the Big Four depot?" he asked.

"That's it!" exclaimed the stranger delightedly. "I was sure I'd know it if I heard it again. Where is it?"

The officer started him in the right direction and then went into a brown study. At the end of half an hour he emerged from it and said to himself in an audible voice:

"I wonder if that guy wasn't having fun with me."—Chicago Tribune.

A Pleasant Sort of Sea.

The power of the surf is a thing about which many of us have but the most hazy ideas, and indeed the ordinary conditions with which we are surrounded prevent us from fully appreciating what it can be at times.

The people of the island of Chincoteague, which is about a mile and a half wide, have, however, opportunities for judging this experience, which they must find the reverse of pleasant.

On its eastern side and between it and the ocean is Assateague island, which is also a mile and a half wide, but the power with which the waves come is so great that at some places the surf sweeps entirely over both islands.—London Standard.

Mixed.

A Mississippi girl described her first visit to a city in the following rhapsody:

"Oh, I had such a perfectly beautiful time! Everything was so converted, you know. We stopped to a house where we rode to our rooms in a refrigerator, and our rooms were illustrated with election lights. There was no stove in the room, but one of those legislators in the floor, and the heat poured right up through. I did not have any appetite and could not get a thing I could realize. Honestly, when I got home I was almost an individual."—Atlanta Constitution.

A Diagnosis.

Cholly Addlepate—Aw, doctah, I have wecently been afflicted with fearful headaches.

Doctor—I see. Some of those aching voids we read about.—Chicago News.

The jubilee visit of the colonial premiers led to the discovery that the Prince of Wales pronounces premier as in French, premi-ay.

Fruit cannot stand freezing, because it ruptures the cells of the fruit, and decay takes place.

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SIR JOHN MOORE.

The Brave Soldier Died as He Had Always Hoped He Would.

Moore was dying. Baird was severely wounded. The early winter night was creeping over the field of battle, and Hope, gallant soldier though he was, judged it prudent to stay his hand. Soult had been roughly driven back. The transports were crowding into the harbor. It was enough to have ended a long retreat with the halo of victory and to have secured an undisturbed embarkation.

Meanwhile Moore had been carried into his quarters at Coruna. A much attached servant stood with tears running down his face as the dying man was carried into the house. "My friend," said Moore, "it is nothing!" Then, turning to a member of his staff, Colonel Anderson, he said: "Anderson, you know I have always wished to die in this way. I hope my country will do me justice." Only once his lips quivered and his voice shook as he said, "Say to my mother" and then stopped, while he struggled to regain composure. "Stanhope," he said as his eyes fell on his aid-de-camp's face, "remember me to your sister"—the famous Hester Stanhope, Pitt's niece, to whom Moore was engaged. Life was fast and visibly sinking, but he said, "I feel myself so strong I fear I shall be long dying."

But he was not. Death came swiftly and almost painlessly. Wrapped in a soldier's cloak, he was carried by the light of torches to a grave hastily dug in the citadel at Coruna, and far off to the south, as the sorrowing officers stood round the grave of their dead chief, could be heard from time to time the sound of Soult's guns, yet in sullen retreat. That scene is made immortal in Wolfe's noble lines:

Few and short were the prayers we said,
And we spoke not a word of sorrow,
But we steadfastly gazed on the face that was dead,
And we bitterly thought of the morrow.

We thought as we hollowed his narrow bed
And smoothed down his lonely pillow
That the foe and the stranger would tread o'er his head,
And we far away on the billow.

—Cornhill Magazine.

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To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

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Fill a bottle or common glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

What to Do.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in relieving pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and phamphlet both sent free by mail, upon receipt of three two-cent stamps to cover cost of postage on the bottle. Mention the Sonoma Index-Tribune and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietor of this paper guarantee the genuiness of this offer.

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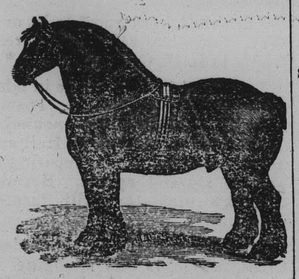
MISCELLANEOUS.

Farmer & Truckmans' Favotite

1898.

Clydesdale Stallions



POLLOCK,

—AND—

GLYDEBOY.

Will make the season of 1898, commencing March 1st and closing July 1st, will be at the following places each week:

SONOMA.....Sundays and Mondays
YOUNTVILLE..Wednesdays & Thurdays
NAPA.....Fridays & Saturdays

PRIZES:

POLLOCK is the winner of six prizes at the California State Fair, and although yet young is the sire of the entire colts that won six prizes at that State Fair and will add a good many more to the list.

DESCRIPTION AND PEDIGREE:

POLLOCK is a beautiful dapple brown, with black points, ratch on forehead; is 18 hands high and weighs 1900 pounds; very symmetrical in form and is the Champion Walker, winning first prize two years in succession, making the fastest mile ever made with one ton of weight and driver on wagon. POLLOCK has a beautiful mane and tail. For disposition he cannot be beat and is a remarkable good breeder and a very sure foal-getter. POLLOCK'S sire Model Prince, prize-winner of Victoria, Australia; g. sire Landsman, prize winner of Highland Society Shows and other places; g. g. sire Prince of Kilbride, prize winner of the Highland Shows at Perth and Sterling in 1872; g. g. g. sire Large Jock; g. g. g. g. sire Old Clyde; g. g. g. g. g. sire Scotchman. Dam sire imported Pollock, the best horse that Martin ever imported; 2d dam sire Glancer; 3d dam sire Salmonde Champion; 4th dam sire alias Clydeboy; 5th dam sire Farmer.

STALLION GLYDEBOY.

Will be three years old May, 1898. He stand 16¾ hands high and weighs about 1500 pounds; will weigh 1800 when matured. Is also a perfect colt in every way and will prove himself a good breeder and a sure foal-getter. He is a fine dapple bay in color, with no white, but star in forehead, and has a fine disposition and splendid action.

PRIZES—Clydeboy won first prize at the State Fair, Sacramento, in 1895, as best suckling and first prize in 1896 as best yearling, and again first prize as best two-year-old in 1897.

PEDIGREE—Clydeboy is sired by Pollock; also, pedigree the same, from his sire. Dam sire Pride of Cree; 2d dam sire Waxworks; 3d dam sire Bismarck; 4th dam sire General Grant; 5th dam sire Old English Glory. These breeds of horses are known as most durable farm and truck horses by all San Francisco truckmen.

This young stallion will stand for a few mares only the coming season.

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2.50 PM	3.37 PM	San Rafael and intermediates	7.15 P M	7.20 PM
10.30 AM	10.25 AM	Glen Ellen	8.10 AM	6.18 AM
7.20 PM	7.15 PM	and intermediates	3.37 PM	2.50 PM
6.18 AM	8.10 AM	Novato	10.25 AM	10.30 AM
2.50 PM	3.37 PM	Petaluma Santa Rosa and intermediates	7.15 PM	7.20 PM
6.18 AM 2.50 PM	8.10 AM	Cloverdale Healdsburg Lytton and intermediates	7.15 PM	10.30 AM 7.20 PM
6.18 AM	8.10 AM	Ukiah and intermediates	7.15 PM	7. 0 PM
6.18 AM	8.10 AM	Sebastopol	10.25 AM	10.30 AM
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